



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): DEBASHIS BHATTACHARYA et al.
Serial No.: 09/896,059
For: METHOD FOR AUTOMATED DESIGN OF INTEGRATED CIRCUITS WITH TARGETED QUALITY OBJECTIVES USING DYNAMICALLY GENERATED BUILDING BLOCKS
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Examiner: Thompson, A. M.
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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action dated June 2, 2005, for which the time for response has been extended by an accompanying petition for one month to October 2, 2005, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks in the above-noted application.

Amendment to the drawing is on page 2.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 17.